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## General Information

#### ORDER EARLY

I would advise early ordering to prevent disappointment in case I am sold out of certain varieties. Many of the newer ones are still to be had only in limited quantities and as I have priced some extremely low I feel sure the supply will not last through the season.

#### GUARANTEE

All my stock is grown on good, clean soil at my nursery, which is located at Bloomington on the Minnesota River, eight miles south of Minneapolis. All bulbs, tubers or roots sent out by me are grown under ideal conditions and I exercise every care to ship out only first-class stock, but as the growing is beyond my control I can not in any way be responsible for the results after planting. I will gladly make replacement or refund purchase price of any stock that does not prove true to name or does not arrive in good growing condition.

An acknowledgment of your order does not imply an obligation to supply a variety which at shipping time is not in a suitable condition or is not available, brought about by conditions which I can not control, such as winter killing, etc. My success, however, depends upon your satisfaction, and I will appreciate any helpful criticism or opportunity to correct an error.

#### DISCOUNTS

\$ 3.00 to \$ 5.00 select 5% extra stock \$ 5.00 to \$25.00 select 10% extra stock \$25.00 to \$50.00 select 15% extra stock \$50.00 or more select 20% extra stock

Extra Gladiolus discounts listed on Gladiolus page

#### TERMS

Cash or 25% deposit; balance before shipment. No orders accepted for less than \$2.00. Transportation charges will be paid to all points in the United States.

# **GLADIOLUS**

My gladiolus bulbs this season are as fine a crop as I have ever dug, in spite of the hot, dry weather, which prevailed here and over most sections of the country this past season. This is partly due to the irrigation system which I installed last Spring. My crop was not over-watered but was given enough moisture during the dry weather to keep them in a vigorous growing condition.

The soil at my nursery is well adapted to the growing of bulbs and to further insure good, clean stock I plant on new soil each year and scientifically treat all bulbs before planting for disease control. With but few exceptions, all bulbs planted are small sizes and bulblets. This insures my customers vigorous bulbs which should produce exceptional flowers when given the proper planting and care. I will gladly send full cultural directions with your order if you so request.

From the many repeat orders I receive each year, I am convinced that my customers are well satisfied. If you have never ordered from me, I invite a trial order. I am sure you will be satisfied with the quality of stock and I am always very generous with extra bulbs. The earlier the order the more liberal I will be.

10% cash discount will be allowed on all orders received by February 25th, and after that date 5% cash discount will be allowed. These cash discounts are in addition to the regular discounts listed on the general information page. Orders for gladiolus will not be accepted after May 1st.

Six bulbs will be sold at the dozen rate. Bulbs that are listed 2 for 15c, 3 for 20c, etc., will not be sold in smaller quantities. These varieties are priced extremely low and I would be selling them at a loss if I were to sell them singly.

Large size bulbs (abbreviated L) will be 11/4 inches or over in diameter, but in most cases will be 11/2 to 2 inches. Medium size (abbreviated M) will be from 3/4 to 11/4 inches and small size (abbreviated S) from 1/4 to 3/4 inch. Bulblets are abbreviated Blts.

Aflame (Hornberger) Begonia rose to orange flame, with the back of the petals even brighter than the front. The largest of the prim grands, growing 4 feet tall with 5½-inch blooms. (L. 15c ea., \$1.40 doz.) (M. 2 for 15c, 75c doz.)

Allen V. Bunce (Bill) Livid orange yellow with clear central lines of deep claret. Flowers are gracefully placed on wiry stocks. (L. 2 for 15c, 65c doz.)

- Anna Eberius (Diener) Velvety deep rhodamine purple, shading to deep bordeaux center. Marvelous color. A real beauty. (L. 3 for 15c, 45c doz.) (M. 25c doz.)
- Apricot Glow (Palmer) Clear warm apricot prim of large size. One of the very best new prims, with a color that is hard to beat. It will be in demand by florists. (L. 2 for 17c, 75c doz.) (M. 3 for 15c, 50c doz.)
- Bagdad (Palmer) Smoky old rose. Faint creamy blotch on the lip petals, marked with penciling and peppering of begonia rose. Tall, straight spike. The blooms are extra large. Practically a smoky self color. (S. \$2.00 ea.) (Blts. 50c ea.)
- Bengal Tiger (Pratt) A brilliant mottled red, with oriental markings. (L. 3 for 15c, 45c doz.) (M. 45c doz.)
- Betty Nuthall (Salbach) A distinct flower of warm light coral color with a pale orange throat and a light feathering of carmine. Large florets and one of the finest new Glads. (L. 25c ea., 3 for 60c.) (M. 2 for 25c.)
- Bill Sowden (Fallu) A gigantic deep blood red. Sometimes seven inches across. Petals curled back. The best red to date. (L. \$2.50 ea.) (M. \$1.50 ea.) (S. 75c ea.)
- Blue Triumphator (Pfitzer) The largest flower of any Glad in existence. China-blue with a silver sheen; lower petals marked bluish purple. (M. \$4.50 ea.)
- Butterboy (Kunderd) Tall prim with large golden yellow flowers. Fine. (L. 3 for 15c, 45c doz.)
- Captain Boynton (Boynton) Beautiful light lavender with a deeper lavender blotch in the throat. One of the finest lavender gladiolus. (L. 3 for 15c, 50c doz.) (M. 25c doz.)
- Commander Koehl (Pfitzer) Very large wide open blooms of brilliant dark scarlet red with no markings or blotches. Six or seven flowers open on a tall, strong spike which stands up well under all weather conditions. Heavy substance. (M. 60c ea.) (Blts. 2 for 20c.)
- Copper Bronze (Kunderd) Unique color. Large prim of copper bronze. Graceful and strikingly unusual. (L. 3 for 20c, 60c doz.) (M. 40c doz.)
- Coryphee (Pfitzer) A Pfitzer masterpiece. Very tall spike with 8 to 10 immense round, well-formed flowers open at once. Soft rose-pink, same color as the inside of a fresh cut Ophelia rose. This beautiful waxy pink is found in some orchids, such as Miltonia. (L. 35c ea., \$3.50 doz.) (M. 20c ea.)
- Crinkles (Kunderd) Deep peach blossom pink. A very intensely ruffled variety. (M. 4 for 15c, 40c doz.)
- Dr. F. E. Bennett (Diener) Deep peach red overlaid with flame scarlet. Lip speckled ruby. Flowers of the largest size and of the most fiery red color imaginable. (L. 2 for 15c, 60c doz.) (M. 4 for 15c, 40c doz.)
- Dr. Moody (Kenyon) A beautiful new lavender with many large florets open at a time. Clear lavender without throat markings Good placement and rather early. (L. 15c ea.) (M. 2 for 15c)
- Emile Auburn (Lemoine) Coppery bronze overlaid with state and with cherry red blotch in throat. An outstanding color and fine grower with many large blooms open at one time. (L. 2 for 17c.) (M. 2 for 10c.)
- Fern Kyle (Kunderd) Large ruffled flowers of finest creamy white color. Very popular. (L. 3 for 15c, 45c doz.) (M. 25c doz.)
- Fastidious (Bill) Immense wide open blossoms of delicate shell pink shading to ivory white in the throat. A very fine Glad. (L. 3 for 15c, 45c doz.) (M. 25c doz.)

- Genesee (Davis) Light creamy buff. A splendid prim of fine form and placement. Strong, vigorous grower which is always erect. (L. 3 for 15c, 45c doz.) (M. 25c doz.)
- Giant Nymph (Coleman) Rose pink with a creamy yellow throat. Extra large wide open flowers born on tall and erect stems. This wonderful variety is a favorite everywhere. (L. 3 for 15c, 45c doz.) (M. 25c doz.)
- Gladdie Boy (Bill) Well expanded giant flowers of grenadine pink, blending to straw yellow deep in throat. Petals are gracefully frilled. (L. 2 for 17c, 90c doz.) (M. 3 for 15c, 50c doz.)
- Gloriana (Betscher) Tall spike with many flowers open at one time. Color is of the softest shading of golden salmon, with clear yellow throat. A wonderful color. (L. 3 for 20c, 60c doz.) (M. 3 for 12c.)
- Gold Eagle (Austin) The finest extra early yellow introduced to date. The blooms are of good substance, large size and beautifully ruffled. The color is a clear, deep, rich yellow. (L. 2 for 15c.) (M. 3 for 12c.)
- Golden Dream (Groff) Color is a pure, deep yellow, the same as is found in Souvenir. It has the rugged growth of Golden Measure, is extremely tall and the florets perfectly placed. A fine exhibition variety. (L. 3 for 20c, 60c doz.) (M. 4 for 15c, 35c doz.)
- Golden Frills (Kunderd) A large open flowered primulinus. Deep, rich, daffodil-yellow with pink feather lines on lower petals. Intensely ruffled and very choice. (L. 3 for 20c.) (M. 2 for 10c.)
- Graff Zeppelin (Pfitzer) Brilliant orange-scarlet with small white feathers on lower petals. Fine form. A winner of many awards. (L. \$5.00 ea.) (S. \$2.50 ea.)
- Halcyon (Bill) A very strong grower, always straight, and throwing flower spikes with 18 to 20 buds. A beautiful soft rose pink, shading deeper toward the petal tips. (L. 2 for 15c, 75c doz.) (M. 3 for 15c, 45c doz.)
- Heavenly Blue (Pfitzer) Clear delicate lavender blue, somewhat lighter than Mrs. Van Konynenburg. Long graceful spike with 8 to 10 blossoms open at one time. A very refined spike with perfect placement. (L. 20c ea.) (M. 10c ea.)
- Hinemoa (Doney) A most unusual Glad. Large deep rose, flaked darker, with distinct cream blotch which stands out in strong contrast. (L. \$1.00 ea.)
- Inspiration (Palmer) Deep shrimp pink. Throat marked with mauve feathering on creamy pink ground. The petals are waved, fluted and semi-lacinated. Blooms are large and of heavy texture. (S. \$2.00 ea.) (Blts. 50c ea.)
- Jane Addams (Decorah) Called phlox pink with a cream throat by the originator, but it is really a light lavender. Very fine, being a good grower with large flowers. (L. 15c ea.) (M. 10c ea.)
- King Arthur (Arenius) Immense ruffled lavender; self color. Tall spike of perfect form. Flowers 6 inches across, well opened and of splendid substance. Unusually fine. (L. \$25.00 ea.) (M. \$15.00 ea.) (Blts. \$2.00 ea.)
- La Paloma (Dusinberre) Very bright vivid orange. The clearest and purest of its color and does not fade, burn or streak. Strong healthy grower. I think it has a great future. (L. 50c ea., \$4.80 doz.) (M. 25c ea., \$2.40 doz.)
- Los Angeles (Houdyshel) The cut and come again Glad. Shrimp pink, tinted orange, with an orange tinted carmine stripe in throat. Several spikes will be had from each stock. (L. 3 for 15c, 45c doz.) (M. 25c doz.)
- Magnet (Crow) A deep yellow, shading almost to an orange. A very lovely color. Good propagator. (L. \$2.50 ea.) (S. \$1.50 ea.) (Blts. 20c ea.)

- Mammoth White (U. B. C.) The largest pure white; six inches or more across; five to six open. Wonderful exhibition variety. (L. 75c ea.) (M. 50c ea.)
- Marietta (Metzer) A delicate shade of light salmon, beautifully blended with light orange, the lower petals shading to a bright burnt orange. A marvelous Gladiolus of extra large size and splendid spike. (L. 3 for 15c, 50c doz.) (M. 3 for 10c.)
- Marmora (Errey) The color is a silvery lavender with a pale purplish blotch. Blooms are very large and perfectly placed on splendid spikes, often having 10 to 12 flowers open at one time. One of the most valuable varieties ever introduced. (M. 2 for 25c.)
- Marnia (Kemp) The color is a very pleasing shade of Grenadine orange with tyrian rose feathering in the throat. A strong grower with four to five blooms open at a time. (L. 3 for 15c, 50c doz.) (M. 30c doz.)
- Maurice Fuld (Gage) Large, well-expanded flowers of rich rose doree with blotch of tyrian rose on white throat. Very striking variety. (L. 15c ea., \$1.40 doz.) (M. 10c ea.)
- Minuet (Coleman) Large flowers of the purest sparkling lavender, of unusual vigor and good substance. Very large florets and many open at a time. The best pure lavender and a truly great Glad. (L. 12c ea., \$1.10 doz.) (M. 2 for 12c, 55c doz.)
- Miss Des Moines (Decorah) Clear levender, deeper at the edges of petals and fading to a creamy white in the center, the soft and delicate colors blending harmoniously. Fine placement and several open at once. Always erect. (L. 45c ea.) (M. 35c ea.) (S. 15c ea.)
- Ming Toy (Kunderd) Very large, deep buff prim. Creates a sensation. (L. 3 for 15c, 45c doz.) (M. 25c doz.)
- Mother Machree (Stevens) An unusual new smoky variety, the color being very soft. Tall, straight spike, with good sized blooms well placed, and 6 to 7 open at one time. An outstanding and sensational novelty (L. 75c ea.) (M. 45c ea.) (S. 25c ea.)
- Mrs. F. C. Hornberger (Hornberger) Large white, nicely frilled and with no markings. Strong and tall grower with many open. One of the very best whites for exhibition or commercial use. (L. 10c ea., 90c doz.) (M. 2 for 12c, 50c doz.)
- Mrs. J. K. Armsby (Diener) Coral pink, penciled vermilion on edges. Throat cream, speckled ruby. Large flowers with many open. Very fine. (L. 2 for 12c.) (M. 3 for 12c.)
- Mrs. Leon Douglas (Diener) Large salmon pink flaked scarlet, with pale lemon lip slightly speckled ruby. Similar to Mrs. John S. Wood but a little darker in color. A giant spike and flower which is admired by everyone. (L. 3 for 15c, 50c doz.) (M. 30c doz.)
- Mrs. P. W. Sisson (Coleman) Truly a glorious pink Glad. It is an extremely strong grower and in form it is exquisite. The color is a pure soft cameo pink of remarkable purity. Winner of \$100.00 Sisson cash prize in 1924. (L. 3 for 20c, 65c doz.) (M. 3 for 12c, 40c doz.)
- Mr. W. H. Phipps (Diener) La France pink overlaid with light rose salmon, lighter toward the center. Lower petals very faintly striped and speckled with ruby. Flowers enormous. A masterpiece in Gladiolus. (L. 3 for 20c, 60c doz.) (M. 3 for 12c, 40c doz.)
- Muriel (Pfitzer) True lilac slightly darker at tips of petals. Strong, straight spikes with excellent substance and arrangement. (L. 3 for 15c, 45 doz.) (M. 25c doz.)
- Nancy Hanks (Salbach) Rich apricot orange pink with grenadine tongue. These primulinus colors are very unusual in the large flowering Gladiolus. A vigorous grower with fine placement and substance. A very nice Glad. (L. 3 for 15c, 45c doz.) (M. 25c doz.)

- Nixie (Diener) Jasper pink with spectrum-red near base. Beautifully ruffled blooms and good, straight, tall spike. There is a peculiar and pleasing sheen over all that makes these blossoms stand out and attract attention when seen in the field. A good propagator. (L. 3 for 15c, 50c doz.) (M. 30c doz.)
- Opalescent (Bill) Wonderful large spike of pale rose lavender, with soft lilac throat lines. (L. 3 for 15c, 45c doz.) (M. 25c doz.)
- Orange Queen (Pfitzer) Dainty primulinus grandiflora type, of the best copper orange color to date. (L. 3 for 15c, 45c doz.) (M. 25c doz.)
- Orange Wonder (Kemp) The best large orange colored Gladiolus ever offered. It is a rich orange rufous, and is practically a solid color. A very brilliant Glad which is sturdy in growth, and well worthy of the name that has been given it. (L. 30c ea.)
- Osalin (Salbach) A very lovely coral pink with soft orange marking in throat. Especially beautiful under electric light. A fine mid-season pink. (L. 2 for 17c, 90c doz.) (M. 3 for 15c, 50c doz.)
- Paul Pfitzer (Pfitzer) Clear, live reddish purple. The best variety in this color. Tall, straight spikes with large flowers. (L. 15c ea.) (M. 2 for 15c.)
- Pfitzer's Triumph (Pfitzer) This is unquestionably one of the largest light red Gladiolus ever introduced. The enormous amaryllis-like flowers are well placed on the spike. The color is a bright orange salmon. You will not be disappointed in this Gladiolus. (L. 15c ea.) (M. 10c ea.)
- Picardy (Palmer) A soft shrimp pink that does not fleck or burn. Five to six wide open florets are well placed on a tall, strong steam. Excellent substance. Good propagator. A very outstanding variety that creates a sensation wherever shown. (L. \$8.00 ea.) (S. \$3.50 ea.) (Blts. \$1.00 ea., \$9.60 doz.)
- Point Twain (Ellis) A very lovely pink, Clear, soft color; pointed petals. (L. \$2.00 ea.)
- Pride of Portland (Ellis) Very large begonia rose-pink with white throat. One of the outstanding bright colored varieties. (L. 50c ea.) (M. 30c ea.) (S. 15c ea.)
- Primate (Crow) A beautiful clear yellow. It has some primulinus blood in it but is not hooded. It is a good commercial yellow that has good growth and the color is excelent. (L. 15c ea., \$1.50 doz.) (M. 2 for 17c, 90c doz.)
- Prof. Van Slogteren (Alkemade) Rose-pink shaded salmon. Flowers are very large and well placed on tall, straight spikes. Heavy substance. One of the very best pinks. (L. \$2 ea.)
- Purple Victory (Gilrey) Rich purple maroon, a shade nearer purple than Purple Glory. Six enormous blooms open at once. You will admire this rich colored flower. (L. \$1.50 ea.) (M. \$1.00 ea.) (S. 75c ea.)
- Queen of Bremen (Zimmer) Soft amaranth pink which is very good as a cut flower. The only prim in this color and should be very valuable commercially. Has won many prizes. (L. 20c ea., \$1.80 doz.) (M. 2 for 20c, 90c doz.) (S. 45c doz.)
- Red Fire (Kunderd) Entire flower of richest pure self-color bright red. Fine red. (L. 3 for 17c, 60c doz.) (M. 30c doz.)
- Rita Beck (Fischer) A sensational new Glad. The color is a beautiful La France pink. A very clear colored, and heavy textured flower, which stands up well. Many large flowers open at one time, which makes it a splendid showy variety. (L. 15c ea., \$1.25 doz.) (M. 2 for 15c, 75c doz.)

- Robert Kunderd (Kunderd) Most brilliant deep vermilion or orange scarlet. (L. 3 for 15c, 50c doz.) (M. 30c doz.)
- Rosemary (Bales) The color is white thickly marked with fine parallel hairlines and stiplings of lavender-rose. The markings are carried clear through the petals, so the back of the blossom looks the same as the front. The general color effect is lavender-rose. (L. 3 for 15c, 45c doz.) (M. 25c doz.)
- Rose Mist (Fischer) One of the most popular and beautiful primulinus. The color is a rose red or crushed-strawberry, with a buff line around the outside of each petal. There is a big demand for this distinct prim which I strongly recommend. (L. 3 for 20c, 70c doz.) (M. 35c doz.)
- Royal Lavender (Schleider) A rich rose lavender. The florets are well placed on a fine spike.

  The height is 40 inches and florets 41/2 inches. One of the best florists' variety in years.

  (L. 25c ea.) (M. 15c ea.)
- Salbach's Orchid (Salbach) The color is the same as the Cattleya orchid, which is a lavender pink. The form is similar to Minuet with large wide open flowers of heavy substance and fine placement. A robust grower with eight florets open at once. Truly a beautiful Glad. (L. \$7.50 ea.) (M. \$4.50 ea.) (S. \$2.00 ea.) (Blts. 2 for 40c.)
- Salbach's Pink (Salbach) Large wide open flowers of glowing geranium pink with soft carrine tongue and throat markings. Petals slightly recurved. Perfect placement with 6 or 8 open at once. Heavy substance. A fine Glad. (L. 50c ea.) (M. 30c ea.) (S. 15c ea.)
- Scarlet Bedder (Salbach) A most welcome newcomer in the primulinus family. This beautiful scarlet flower is large and glowing, yet the color is soft enough to be in harmony with the general pastel tones of the primulinus hybrids. (L. 3 for 20c, 70c doz.) (M. 40c doz.)
- Scarlet Wonder (Cowe) Unquestionably the best extra large red gladiolus. The color is a brilliant, glowing, crimson-scarlet self color, practically without streaks or markings. (L. 3 for 15c, 50c doz.) (M. 30c doz.)
- Senorita (Salbach) Clear orange shading to salmon. Lower petals bright orange yellow with prominent carmine tongue and penciling. Flowers very large and closely set, making it very showy. (L. 25c ea.) (M. 15c ea.) (S. 10c ea.)
- Sheila (Coleman) Light coral-red or salmon, fading to flesh-pink in throat. The flowers are large and graceful. Early variety which is exceptionally fine. (L. 3 for 15c, 45c doz.) (M. 25c doz.)
- Shell Pink (Kunderd) Beautiful shell pink shading to white throat. Nice blending of colors. A tall primulinus. (L. 3 for 15c, 50c doz.) (M. 30c doz.)
- Souvenir (Gravereau) The most perfect flowering primulinus of the purest golden yellow. The brightest yellow prim on the market. (L. 3 for 15c, 45c doz.)
- Sultan (Crow) Color is deep rosy red. Six to eight large ruffled blooms open at a time, and well placed. Very tall, healthy grower. Heavy substance. (S. \$1 ea.) (Blts. \$50c ea.)
- The Aristocrat (Bill) Pale saffron pink flaked deep orange, with cream throat which has distinct violet featherings. A very distinctive, slightly ruffled variety. (L. 2 for 20c, 90c doz.) (M. 45c doz.)

- The Orchid (Sprague) A very distinctive new type of Gladiolus which is fittingly named "The Orchid." Its long, narrow, ruffled and lacinated petals are of pale lavender flaked at edges with lavender pink. A single floret would be mistaken for a cattaleya orchid a few feet distant. It is the daintiest flower imaginable, and is unsurpassed for decorative purposes. (L. 3 for 25c, 75c doz.) (M. 40c doz.)
- Tycko Zang (Austin) Clear salmon pink, with white throat faintly dotted deep cerise.

  Always straight spike, with well placed flowers which are very large. (L. 2 for 15c.)

  (M. 3 for 15c.)
- Veilchenblau (Pfitzer) Very popular and in big demand. Violet-blue flowers of large size. Tall and vigorous. (L. 15c ea.) (M. 2 for 15c.)
- Virginia Hale (Kunderd) Beautiful soft creamy salmon rose. Tall, very fine and beautiful variety. (L. 3 for 15c, 50c doz.) (M. 30c doz.)
- Wolfgang Von Goethe (Pfitzer) Salmon red raspberry color; lower petals overlaid with scarlet. Large flowers of perfect form. This variety is an excellent grower. Early bloomer. (L. \$4.00 ea.) (S. \$1.75 ea.)

## CHOICE ASSORTMENT

Bulbs for this assortment are taken from my stock of named varieties, as I do not grow a regular mixture. I can assure you that all will be large-flowered Gladiolus and will be selected for variety of form and color. I can sell only a limited quantity of this assortment this year.

Special assortment, 11/4-inch or over......\$3.00 per 100 50 at the hundred rate.

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#### SPECIAL OFFER

Any one sending me a \$10.00 order I will pay their \$2.00 membership fee in the Minnesota Gladiolus Society. With a \$5.00 order I will pay \$1.00 towards their membership fee. This offer does not entitle you to the discounts listed in my catalogue and is only for new members.

# PEONIES

The peony has long been and will continue to be one of the most popular of our garden flowers. The ease of culture, combined with the fragrance and beauty of the flowers, have made it universally grown. It is perfectly hardy, requiring very little care or protection when once established. Planting can be done any time in the fall, from September 1st until the ground freezes, but early planting is recommended.

It is best to prepare the soil in advance of planting. The ground should be dug to a depth of at least 18 inches and some bone meal incorporated with the soil. If manure is used it should be added at least three months previous to planting and it should be well rotted. If the soil has not been prepared in advance, dig the holes 18 inches deep and 18 inches wide and thoroughly mix a handful of bone-meal with the soil, which is sufficient fertilizer for each peony. Place the roots so that the eyes will not be over two inches below the surface after the ground has settled. This is an important factor as too deep a planting often results in failure to bloom. A light covering the first Winter is advisable. Cultivate frequently during the Spring and occasionally during the Summer to keep the weeds down.

I send out strong divisions of 3 to 5 eyes, but many will be larger, having from 5 to 8 eyes. Each division will have a well-balanced root system. Do not hesitate to send me your order, as you will find my prices very reasonable and I am sure you will be more than satisfied with the size and quality of my stock.

Discounts and terms are listed on the general information page. Orders will be filled from September 15th to October 15th. Please do not ask for Spring delivery as orders are accepted for Fall shipment only.

- Adolphe Rosseau (Dessert and Mechin) 8.5 Very large blooms, Semi-double. A deep purple garnet with metallic reflex. Early red. \$1.00
- Alice Harding (Lemoine) 9.5 Double type, large flowers and mid-season. Broad, evenly rounded guard-petals of delicate flesh, flushed darker on the reverse, surround a cupped center of long, irregular petals of creamy white. Center-band petals minutely marked with crimson. Medium height; stems and foliage good. A refined flower of sweet fragrance. It is said that Lemoine considers this his best introduction. \$25.00
- Alsace Lorraine (Lemoine) 8.8 Pointed white petals suffused with a golden light from the stamens, giving the thought of a water-lily. Late and vigorous. \$1.00

- A. M. Slocum (Franklin) 9.0 A white, loosely built flower of rose type, central petals slightly edged crimson. Good grower and free bloomer.

  \$1.50
- Avalanche (Crousse) 8.7 White with base of petals reflecting a soft yellow. Few central petals delicately edged carmine. Profuse bloomer. \$1.00
- Ball O'Cotton (Franklin) 8.8 Rose type. Pure white flowers of medium size, very fragrant.
  Splendid thrifty grower.
  \$3.00
- Baroness Schroeder (Kelway) 9.0 Rose type. White with shadings of flesh. Immense flowers of great substance. Very fragrant. \$1.00
- Cornelia Shaylor (Shaylor) 9.1 Double type, large flowers and late bloomer. High built flowers with immense guards of pale rose; collar of flush-white, and a slightly darker shade in the compact, rose-like center. Fragrance faint. Free flowering, tall and strong stems. One of Shaylor's best. \$5.00
- Departing Sun (8.5) A beautiful cherry red. One of the best of the single reds. \$2.00
- Edwin C. Shaw (Thurlow) 9.1 Clear rose, slightly lighter at tips of petals. Outer petals broad and imbricated. Beautiful in color and form. Mid-season. Exceedingly fragrant. I strongly recommend this variety as it is one of the best.

  \$5.00
- Enchantress (Lemoine) 8.9 Rose type, very late. Creamy white with guard petals and center of flower faintly splashed crimson. Large tall and vigorous grower. A perfect jewel. Slight fragrance. \$1.50
- Festiva Maxima (Meillez) 9.3 Extra large, full, globular, rose type. Pure white with bright carmine flakes on the edges of the center petals. Abundant blooms on long stems.

  Most popular all-around white.

  75c
- Florence Macbeth (Sass) 9.2 Double type; very large; late mid-season. Light shell-pink, deepening towards the center. Broad, flat bloom with shell-like outer petals and a center of waxy texture illuminated by a golden glow. Free flowering and slightly fragrant. Medium height and strong grower. Very fine. \$7.00
- Frances Willard (Brand) 9.1 Large flowers, perfectly formed with raised center. Opens an exquisite blush white with an occasional carmine touch. One of the best peonies. \$1.00
- Georgiana Shaylor (Shaylor) 8.9 Very large, flat, semi-rose type flowers. Pale rose pink guards and center petals slightly splashed crimson. Mid-season and free bloomer. One of Mr. Shaylor's best. \$1.75
- Gigantea (Calot) 8.3 Double type; very large; early mid-season. Clear rose-pink, fading to old rose with silver-tipped petals. Mild pleasing fragrance. The flowers are sometimes so large that the stems can not support them. Free bloomer.

  \$1.00
- Grace Loomis (Saunders) 9.2 Tall, strong stems, bearing very full double flowers of clear white. Late. A very fine variety and winner of many awards. Mildly fragrant. \$5.00
- Hansina Brand (Brand) 9.1 Double type. Blooms are deep and flat. Color a dark flesh-pink with a salmon reflex shading deeper towards the base of the petals. As it fades the color resembles Solange. The flowers are of great size and beautiful form. Tall, strong plants with good stems that hold the blooms erect. One of Brand's best. \$20.00
- Henry Avery (Brand) 8.8 General color effect pinkish creamy white. Flushed white guard petals and center, with wide collar of yellow petals. \$1.75
- James R. Mann (Thurlow) 8.7 Large, deep, rose pink, with an occasional crimson streak in center and on back of guard petals. Central petals incurved, giving a very graceful effect. \$4.00
- Jubilee (Pleas) 8.9 Extremely large flat flowers of ivory white, petals long and narrow and arranged loosely, giving a feathery effect. Mid-season. \$1.00
- Judge Berry (Brand) 8.6 Semi-rose type. Very large flat blooms of soft pink tinged lighter.

  Very early and beautiful peony.

  \$1.50

- June Day (Franklin) 9.0 Light flesh, deepening toward center of flower. Rose type. Some of the central petals slightly edged with lavender. \$3.00
- Katharine Havemeyer (Thurlow) 9.0 Large, rose-type blooms of flesh-pink. Broad guard petals, somewhat notched. Central petals narrow and fringed on full high center. Strong fragrance. In a class with the best.

  \$4.00
- Karl Rosefield (Rosefield) 8.8 Brilliant dark crimson, of good form and substance. Stems stiff. One of the best of this color.
  \$1.00
- Kelway's Glorious (Kelway) 9.8 Buds slightly tinted pink, opening into large blooms of iridescent white. Late mid-season. This is undoubtedly one of the finest peonies. Free flowering; good stems; rose-like fragrance. \$4.00
- Kelway's Pride (Kelway) A beautiful single peony of American Beauty rose color. Large flowers and free bloomer. The best of this color. \$2.50
- Kelway's Queen (Kelway) 8.8 Rose type. A large compact flower of uniform mauve, with center flaked crimson. Profuse bloomer. Late mid-season. One of Kelway's best. Strong rose fragrance. \$4.00
- Lady Alexandra Duff (Kelway) 9.1 Very broad petals of soft French pink, with flesh tints.
  Large flat flowers loosely built. Robust grower, height medium and stems upright. One of Kelway's finest productions.
  \$1.25
- Lady Kate (Vories) Not rated yet. Double type. Rather flat, large flowers of perfect form.

  The color is a beautiful solid light pink. Stems are tall and stiff that carry the flowers well. A fine new variety.

  \$10.00
- La Lorraine (Lemoine) 8.6 Rose type, mid-season, bearing enormous globular flowers. Color creamy white, overlaid with the daintiest soft pink. The petals are large. \$3.00
- Lamartine (Lemoine) 8.4 Double type; large; late. Ball-like blooms, with overlapping petals of dark old-rose pink; each petal bordered with pale grayish white. Medium height; good stems. Fragrant. \$3.00
- Laverne Christman (Brand) 8.9 Double type, loosely formed, with long broad petals. Deep rose pink, shading lighter towards the ends of the petals. Plant tall and vigorous. Resembles a good Therese. \$20.00
- Le Cygne (Lemoine) 9.9 White, rose type, mid-season, with good stiff stems and verv large globular blooms. Petals incurved. One of the highest rated peonies. Moderately fragrant. Good foliage. \$3.50
- Livingstone (Crousse) 8.1 Very large compact, perfect rose type. Beautiful soft lilac rose, with silver tips. Central petals flaked carmine. Free bloomer and late. Strong fragrance.
  75c
- Longfellow (Brand) 9.0 A bright crimson with a cherry tone. Perhaps the most brilliant of all red peonies. Large size and good bloomer. \$1.50
- Mabel L. Franklin (Franklin) 9.0 Rose type. Outer petals light pink, deeper pink towards center. Inner petals slightly edged with lavender. A free bloomer. Strong lemon fragrance. Fine variety.

  \$3.50
- Marie Crousse (Crousse) 8.9 Bomb type, very full, globular flowers. Color soft salmon-pink, shaded in glossy, satiny lilac. A most desirable peony. \$1.00
- Marie Lemoine (Calot) 8.5 Pure white with creamy white center. Large very compact rose type. Extra strong stems and very late. 75c
- Martha Bulloch (Brand) 9.1 Mammoth cup-shaped blossoms often 9 to 10 inches across.

  Deep rose-pink in center, shading to silvery shell-pink in the outer petals. The largest of the good peonies. Late. Rose-like fragrance.

  \$3.00
- Mikado (Japan) 8.6 One of the most beautiful of the Japanese type. Outer petals uniform shade of crimson. Center of broad staminoids of chamois yellow, face crimson. Blooms freely.

  \$1.50

- Milton Hill (Richardson) 9.0 Delicate shade of flesh color with pale salmon-pink tints, sometimes marked crimson. Of globular form with rather incurved petals. Fresh but faint fragrance. Late. \$1.75
- Mme. Jules Dessert (Dessert) 9.4 Exquisite and of large size. Broad, delicate petals of creamy white but lighted with buff and salmon shades. Mid-season to late. Mildly fragrant. One of the very best. \$2.25
- Mons. Jules Elie (Crousse) 9.2 Immense globular blooms, guard petals recurved, resembling chrysanthemums. Clear medium pink with a silvery tinge. Moderate fragrance. Midseason. \$1.00
- Mrs. A. M. Brand (Brand) 9.6 Double type; very large; late. Clear white flowers of flat form. Broad petals of remarkable substance. Medium tall; upright growth; strong stems. Heavy rich green foliage. Very fragrant. \$20.00
- Mrs. C. S. Minot (Minot) 9.2 Guard petals faint shell pink, center creamy white with golden lights at base of petals. A few crimson splashes are apparent in some flowers. Large, fine flowers with broad petals.

  \$6.00
- Mrs. Edward Harding (Shaylor) 9.3 Double type; large; mid-season. White, illuminated by many golden stamens hidden under the petals. Not notably fragrant. Medium height; free flowering; stiff stems. Excellent foliage. \$4.00
- Mrs. John M. Kleitsch (Brand) 9.0 Light violet rose with a distinct lavender cast. General effect deep lavender pink. Broad stiff petals not duplicated in other peonies. Rose type. Strong grower with good stems. Fragrant. I strongly recommend this fine variety. \$20.00
- Mrs. Romaine B. Ware (Brand) 9.1 Deep pink. Similar in color and general conformation of Sarah Bernhardt. Bloom of peculiar and pleasing form. Beautiful rosebud effect in center of flower. Extra fine new variety that is exquisitely delicate. Slight rose fragrance.

  \$20.00
- Nancy Dolman (Vories) 9.1 Double type; very large; late. Pale rose-pink, becoming pinkish white in the center. Fluted, fluffy petals. Tall; robust; floriferous; stems very stiff. Foliage good.
  \$18.00
- Philippe Rivoire (Rivoire) 9.2 A very fine bright crimson of good form and growth. The most fragrant red peony. Mid-season. A splendid show flower. Very scarce. \$5.00
- Phoebe Cary (Brand) 8.8 Rose type. Large flowers of very soft rose pink. Deeper shadings toward the center. Tall and strong. Late. \$2.50
- Phyllis Kelway (Kelway) 9.0 Beautiful pale pink with lighter center. Loosely built flowers.

  Strong grower, mid-season and very fine.

  \$4.00
- Pride of Essex (Thurlow) 8.9 Double type; large; mid-season. Loosely built flower with incurved guards and a crumpled center. Light rose-pink, paling to blush-white with a golden suffusion from its many stamens; center petals boldly marked with crimson. Strong fresh fragrance. Tall free bloomer with stiff stems. A fine variety.
  \$2.50
- Primevere (Lemoine) 8.6 Guard petals deep creamy yellow and center petals sulphuryellow. Cut before it opens up full to hold the yellow color. Mid-season and one of the best yellows. Moderate fragrance. \$1.50
- President Wilson (Thurlow) 9.3 Soft rose pink, changing to shell pink as flower opens.

  Guard petals sometimes show crimson markings. Very large; free flowering; strong stems; late. Rich spicy fragrance. A perfect beauty.

  \$6.00
- Richard Carvel (Brand) 8.8 Probably one of the best early reds. Uniform bright crimson with guard petals broad and prominent. Immense globular blooms of bomb type. \$1.50
- Rosa Bonheur (Dessert) 9.0 Double type; very large: late. Old-rose pink with a glowing suffusion deep in its center. Few marks of red. Medium height; stout stems; rose scented. Good foliage. \$3.50

- Sarah Bernhardt (Lemoine) 9.0 Semi-rose type. Color apple blossom pink with silver tipped petals. Flowers of remarkable size and freshness. Late mid-season. Not strong, but nice fragrance.
  \$1.00
- Silvia Saunders (Saunders) 8.7 Semi-double flowers of light pink, lighter towards the center.

  A fine bloomer, being slightly dwarf, and early. One of the most delicately beautiful of all peonies.

  \$7.00
- Solange (Lemoine) 9.7 Rose type. Cream color, with deep orange-salmon or Havana brown at the heart, overlaid with a delicate, tender, reddish brown. Rare color and a great favorite. \$2.00
- Souvenir de Louis Bigot (Dessert) 9.1 Very large convex blooms with imbricated petals.

  Color a brilliant bengal rose, slightly tinged carmine at the base, turning to a salmon pink. Mildly fragrant. A most gorgeous and attractive peony.

  \$1.75
- The Queen (Kelway) 8.3 A beautiful single white, faintly and delicately suffused blush pink. Free blooming and vigorous. \$1.25
- Therese (Dessert) 9.8 Rose type. Flowers of enormous size, produced in great quantities on stout stems. Color the most delicate rich satiny-pink, with glossy reflex. Mid-season. The last word in peonies.

  \$1.75
- Tourangelle (Dessert) 9.4 Pearl, or cream white overlaid with delicate shades of pink and salmon. Large rose type. Mid-season. Pleasant fragrance. A flower of great refinement. \$1.50
- Victoire de la Marne (Dessert) 8.2 Attractive globular blooms of immense size, Violet amaranth red, with silver reflex. Mid-season. \$1.75
- Walter Faxon (Richardson) 9.3 Medium size globular, semi-rose. Uniform bright rose, deepening towards the center. A delicate and distinct color. Mid-season. Mildly fragrant. Extra fine. \$2.00
- W. F. Christman (Franklin) 8.8 Double type; large; mid-season. Flesh-white suffused with faint rose-pink, a few petals edged with crimson. Rose-like fragrance. Medium height; upright growth; free-flowering. Excelient foliage and nice flower.
  \$2.50

## SPECIAL PEONY BARGAINS

You can purchase any of the following varieties separately or as a collection. All are very fine Peonies and worth much more than priced below. No discount will be allowed at these prices and your order will be sent by express, charges collect.

| Chestine Gowdy, pink and cream 6 | 5c | MIle. Leonie Calot, rose white. | 65c   |
|----------------------------------|----|---------------------------------|-------|
| La Roserie, white, yellow center | 5c | Mons. Dupont, ivory white       | . 65c |
| Lottie Collins, dark crimson 6   | 5c | Suzette, rose pink              | .65c  |

3 roots of one variety.... \$1.75

I each of all six varieties ... 3.50

3 each of all six varieties . 9.50

# IRIS

Iris should be grown by everyone who is a lover of flowers, as they are easy to grow, and can be had in almost any color or combination of colors that one could wish for. They can be successfully transplanted any time of the year that the ground is workable, but in this locality July and August seems to suit them best. By planting during these months the plants have a chance to become thoroughly rooted before cold weather. Spring planting is not practical as Iris make such early growth.

The plot in which you intend to plant your Iris should be well drained and in a sunny location if possible but slight shade would be satisfactory. Thoroughly loosen the soil before planting and be sure to make the hole large enough so that the roots may be spread out. Cover the roots with soil and press firmly with the hand. The rhizome should only be covered with about one-quarter inch of soil. This is important as they do not like to be planted deep, and remember too, that the Iris does not like to have wet feet.

All orders will be filled with good blooming size stock. The size of the rhizomes vary in different varieties, some never growing very large and then again others being of great size. My soil is especially adapted to the growing of Iris and the rhizomes of most varieties grow unusually large and strong. Iris will be shipped from the later part of July until September 15th. No orders will be filled in the spring. My liberal discounts are listed on the general information page.

In the following descriptions the standards or upright petals will be abbreviated "S," and the fall or drooping petals abbreviated "F."

- Ambassadeur (Vilm.) S. bronzy violet. F. dark velvety maroon of great substance. Tall, strong plant and a magnificent variety. 25c
- Bluebonnet (Egelberg) S. very pale, soft blue. F. are deep violet purple. Flowers are nicely shaped and the stalk is well branched. Vigorous and free bloomer. \$3.00
- Caroline E. Stringer (Sass) The standards and falls are of the same beautiful tone of delicate pink, a self color of fine texture. The flowers are beautifully frilled, of good size and widely spread from strong stalks.

  50c
- Cavalier (Clev.) S. fine clear blue, dome shaped, F. deep velvety blue purple. One of the beautiful blues.

Cluny (Vilm.) S. pale lilac blue, F. slightly deeper. Exceptionally tall and vigorous.

25c; 3 for 50c

- Dejah (Perry) A magnificent tall growing Iris. S. silver blue, F. deeper blue with a beautiful golden beard. 25c; 3 for 50c
- Dream (Sturt.) A lovely rose pink, self-color. Perfect form and excellent substance. 25c
- Duke of York (Perry) A gigantic flower of perfect form with well branching stems over 4 feet high. A self color of exquisite shade of soft mauve blue. 25c
- Elizabeth Egelberg (Egelberg) A magnificent Iris with enormous flowers. S. a beautiful blend of pink and mauve. Tall and dome shaped. F. a lustrous mauve, shading into pink. Flaring and nearly horizontal. Plant very vigorous and hardy. Strongly recommended.
- Evening Glow (Tuthill) The S. and F. are of the same pleasing shade, a pale silvery lavender blue. A splendid orange beard. Good foliage and 36-inch stems.

  \$1.00
- Folkwang (G. & K.) S. a beautiful lustrous light rose pink, F. deep rose crimson with wider rose pink border. Unusual delicate color. 50c
- George Yeld (Perry) One of Perry's best. S. bright apricot shaded rose F. brilliant rose crimson edged buff. A beautiful combination of colors.

  50c
- Grace Sturtevant (Bliss) Exceedingly rich in color and texture. A dark red brown and violet carmine. The deep orange beard on the very velvety falls is a striking contrast. Large flowers of heavy substance, well branched on stout stems. Fine variety.

  \$6.00
- Harpalion (Perry) S. light lavender, F. deeper bluish lavender. A greatly improved Mother of Pearl. A very beautiful flower, remarkable for its great size and height.
- Hermosa (Dean) A large, strong flower with stout stems. Very bright pink. The liveliest, brightest, most brilliant pink in the garden.

  25c; 3 for 50c
- Labor (Cayeux) Very large flowers on 3-foot stems. The color is absolutely new in Iris, being dark violet heliotrope with the falls a shade deeper than the standards. The standards are suffused with a soft coppery glow. The whole effect is wonderfully beautiful.
  \$1.50
- Le Correge (Vilm.) Very large flowers. S. smoky bronze shot with lavender and suffused red. F. very large, very broad, bright dark velvety red, with a very brilliant prominent beard. Very vigorous grower, well and widely branched. Sweetly scented; 46-inch. A very much improved Ambassadeur. \$2.00
- Lent A. Williamson (Will.) S. lavender violet, F. velvety pansy violet. Richly colored flowers of splendid substance and perfect form. One of the tallest and largest.
- Lohengrin (G. & K.) The whole flower is of a uniform light shade of cattleya rose. Very large flowers and very attractive. 25c; 3 for 50c
- Lord of June (Yeld) A very strong grower with massive flowers of great size. S. palest lavender blue, F. rich aniline blue. This is one of the very best.
- Mary Barnet (Crumbler) An exquisite light blue Iris with brilliant orange beard. A self color that cannot be surpassed. Vigorous, free flowering and fragrant. Strongly recommended.

  \$1.00

- Mother of Pearl (Sturt.) As the name indicates, the colors of this beautiful Iris are the iridescent shades of mother of pearl pink. 25c
- Mildred Presby (Farr) This is Farr's masterpiece and is unquestionably one of the finest Iris. S. white faintly flushed pale rosy lavender. F. rich dark velvety violet, with a very narrow edge of lavender white.

  40c
- Mme. Chobaut (Denis) White with pale chalcedony yellow, shading into wine red, F. white edged with lilac. Unique and suggesting apricot tints.
- Mrs. Marion Cran (Perry) One of the very finest pink Iris. Large flowers of perfect shape are born on very tall, strong stems. The color is a glorious shade of brilliant light rose.

  Should not be confused with Marion Cran.
- Opera (Vilm.) S. violet rose, F. rich velvety violet purple. Early and very beautiful, being one of the best reddish appearing. 25c; 3 for 50c
- Pallida Mandralisca Same size and form as Pallida Dalmatica but much deeper in tone.

  F. deep lavender blue.

  25c; 3 for 50c
- Parce de Neuilly (Verdier) Deep violet blue with a reddish tinge. Spikes strong with flowers large. Growth vigorous. 25c; 3 for 50c
- Peerless (Dykes) A magnificent flower of enormous size and brilliant coloring, giving the effect of a rich glowing light mahogany red. S. very erectly held are light reddish violet; 31/2 inches long and 3 inches wide. F. straight hanging, 41/2 inches long and 3 inches wide, are rich glowing red with bronze reticulations. Rich gold beard. Tall and strong with well branched stems. One of the largest and most beautiful of Iris. \$2.00
- Phryne (Cayeaux) Very distinct and beautiful Iris of enormous size. S. lavender shading to rose. F. reddish lilac shaded silver gray at the edge. Height, 40 inches. A truly wonderful Iris.

  \$1.50
- Pink Satin (Jacob Sass) An enormous flower of perfect form. The color is a real true pink and the first true pink ever to be introduced. The substance of the flower is exceedingly thick and never flops or fades in the most intense heat. It has a very rich lustre and satiny sheen. A great Iris. \$20.00
- Reverie (Sturt.) S. cream flushed with pink, F. an unusually beautiful tone of deep rose.

  The form, poise and style of the flower is absolutely perfect; 4 feet.

  75c
- Rheingauperle (G. & K.) S. a beautiful soft lilac pink. F. cream, with overlay of mauve to red purple. Similar to Falkwang. Fragrant.
- Seminole (Farr) S. dark violet rose, F. rich velvety crimson, brilliant orange beard. Has made a great hit wherever seen. Vigorous. 25c; 3 for 50c
- Sensation (Cayeux) Enormous flowers of perfect form and of exceedingly heavy substance.

  The falls stand out horizontal. A self color of a wonderful cornflower blue. A very tall and beautiful Iris, which I recommend.

  \$3.50
- Souv. de Loetitia Michaud (Millet) Encrmous flowers of fine texture. Lobelia blue shading pale blue towards edges, falls the same color with hafts beautifully veined yellow on white ground. Strong stems 4 feet high. A very beautiful and popular Iris. \$1.00

- Souv. de Mme. Gaudichau (Millet) S. deep violet, F. brilliant blackish purple. An unusually dark velvety bicolor of fine shape and finish.
- Susan Bliss (Bliss) A uniform shade of deep rose pink. Very free flowering and of robust constitution, 31/2 feet tall. A very popular Iris. Rhizomes are always small. 25c
- Tenebrae (Bliss) Fine Dominion seedling Very large finely formed flowers. S. a rich violet purple, tinged with dark maroon purple in the center. Of great size and substance, F. rich velvety blackish purple, smooth, circular.
- Troost (Denis) A greatly improved Her Majesty. S. deep rose pink. F. paler, veined rosy violet. General effect bright pink.

  25c; 3 for 50c
- Wedgewood (Dykes) This is the most gloriously rich true blue self we have yet seen. The combination of a prominent white beard on the blue background gave the flower its name. The large flowers are very freely produced on strong branching stems, 31/2 feet high.

  65c
- William Mohr (Mohr) The ground color is pale lilac, the standards flushed darker, and the whole flower beautifully veined manganese violet. A very large flower, substance and shape of the very best. Strong stems, 28 inches tall. Mohr's best. \$2.50
- Zilia (Perry) Large flowers, S. and F. a uniform shade of dark pansy blue over rose. Lovely. This is one of the most vigorous, strong growing Iris that I know. Height, 4 to 41/2 feet.
  25c

Siberian Iris Bluish purple.

25c; 3 for 50c

### SPECIAL IRIS BARGAINS

Here is an opportunity to purchase some fine Iris for your garden at greatly reduced prices. I would advise that if you want some of these varieties, that you place your order early as the stock of most of them is likely to be depleted early in the season. Owing to these low prices I will not pay the shipping charges. Orders will be sent by express, charges collect. No less than the number indicated will be sold of a variety and no orders accepted for less than \$1.50. No discount will be allowed at these low prices. Quality stock guaranteed with each order.

| Black Prince, purple                | _6 for 50c                  | Monsignor, purple            | _6 for 50c         |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------|
| Blue Boy, blue                      | 5 for 50c                   | Mrs. Darwin, white           | . 5 for 50c        |
| Caprice, pink                       | . 5 for 50c                 | Pallida Dalmatica, blue      | 5 for 50c          |
| Jeanne D'Arc, white and lavende     | r. <b>5</b> for <b>50</b> c | Perfection, blue and violet  | 5 for 50c          |
| Kochii, dark violet                 | 5 for 50c                   | Queen of May, pink           | 6 for 50c          |
| Lorely, yellow                      | 5 for 50c                   | Rhein Nixe, white and violet | .5 for 50c         |
| Mad. Chereau, pale blue             | . 6 for 50c                 | Yellow Iris                  | 6 for 50c          |
| Above 14 varieties, 75 Iris in all. |                             | Special pri                  | ice, <b>\$5.75</b> |

If you could use a large number of Iris for landscape effect the above collection gives you a wide range of color and the price is very moderate. I would suggest that you take advantage of these low prices.

## **EVERGREENS**

Nothing will improve and enrich the landscape so much as a planting of evergreens. Their variations in form, habit and color, combined with their fine texture and character make them almost indispensable in any planting. One of the most pleasing features of evergreens is their beauty in winter, when the rich green of their foliage gives warmth and cheer to the cold wintry days. They should be used freely as they add to the beauty and value of all property.

| VARIETIES             | height in feet |        |         |          |        |         |         |         |
|-----------------------|----------------|--------|---------|----------|--------|---------|---------|---------|
|                       | 11/2-2         | 2-21/2 | 21/2-3  | 3-4'     | 4-5'   | 5-6'    | 6-7'    | 7-8'    |
| Arbor Vitae, American |                | \$2.00 | \$2.50  | \$3.50   | \$5.00 |         |         |         |
| Pyramidal             | \$2.50         | 3.50   | 4.50    | 6.50     | 10.00  |         |         |         |
| Siberian              | 4.00           |        |         |          |        |         |         |         |
| Fir, Douglas          | 2.50           |        |         |          | 8.00   |         |         |         |
| Juniper, Cannart      |                |        |         |          |        | \$12.00 |         |         |
| Dundee                | 5.00           |        |         |          |        |         |         |         |
| Scopulorum            | 3.50           | 4.50   |         | <b>.</b> |        |         |         |         |
| Virginiana            |                |        | 4.50    | 5.50     | 7.75   | 10.00   |         |         |
| Pine, Austrian        |                | 3.00   | 4.50    | 6.00     | 7.75   | 10.00   |         |         |
| Montana               |                | 4.50   | 6.00    | 7.50     |        |         |         |         |
| Ponderosa             | 2.50           | 3.50   | 4.50    |          |        |         |         |         |
| Spruce, Black Hills   |                |        | 4.00    | 5.50     | 8.50   | 11.50   |         |         |
| Colorado Blue         | 6.00           |        |         | 15.00    | 20.00  | 25.00   | \$30.00 |         |
| Colorado Green        | 3.00           |        | <b></b> |          | ,      |         | 20.00   | \$25.00 |
| Koster                |                |        | 15.00   |          |        |         |         |         |

| VARIETIES                              | SPREAD IN INCHES |                |              |                |         |  |  |
|--|------------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|---------|--|--|
|  | 12-18"           | 18-24''        | 24-30''      | 30-36''        | 36-42'' |  |  |
| Juniper, Andorra<br>Pfitzer's<br>Meyer | \$2.75           | \$4.00<br>8.00 | \$5.50       | \$8.00<br>7.00 | \$10.00 |  |  |
| Savin Pine, Mugho                      |                  | 4.00           | 4.75<br>6.50 | 6.25<br>9.00   | 8.00    |  |  |

Above prices are for balled and burlapped trees.

Evergreens are sold for local trade only and are not subject to the terms and discounts on the general information page. Prices on deciduous shrubs and perennials will be quoted on request.

Planting season is from about April 10th to June 1st and September 10th to October 10th. The labor charge for planting is 20% of the cost of evergreens and 40% of the cost of deciduous shrubs, trees and perennials. An extra charge is made for landscape service. \$3.00 is the minimum labor charge and the needed black soil is additional.

I will replace free of charge all evergreens, trees and shrubs purchased from me, that die before September Ist, providing we do the planting. If we do not do the planting, I will replace the stock at one-half price, providing it has been given the proper care. Payment must be made in full before replacement.

### Landscape and Nursery Service

If you are planning on landscaping your home grounds or would like to make some changes, I will gladly talk it over with you and offer suggestions. Whether you have extensive landscape plans or merely a door-yard planting, I can offer practical advice that will help you.

I have a complete line of nursery stock of ornamental shrubs and evergreens for landscape use. The evergreens include the standard varieties used extensively in beautifying the home grounds, as well as the rare and newer kinds for those who delight in having something a little different.

The dwarf evergreens include such kinds as Sabina Juniper, Prostrate Juniper, Meyer Juniper, Mugho Pine, Pfitzer's Juniper and Andorra Juniper. The pyramidal or tall and narrow type includes the Pyramidal Arborvitae, Virginiana Juniper, Glauca Juniper, Scopulorum Juniper, Dundee Juniper and Cannarti Juniper. The tall and large growing evergreens include the Colorado Blue and Green Spruce, Black Hill's Spruce, Koster's Spruce, Austrian Pine and Douglas Fir.

I also grow hardy perennials for the home garden such as delphinium, gaillardia, named varieties of phlox, etc., which add that little touch of color to make your yard more beautiful.

